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HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG. Court of Directors:-

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Hongkong, 16th November, 1893.

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their own London Company. FOUR NIGHTS ONLY _____ WEDNESDAY, May 2nd, APORGET ME NOT,"

FRIDAY, May 4th, "FRANCILLON" SATURDAY, May 5th, "ZOLA'S THERESE" MONDAY, May 7th, "IN SOCIETY."

The Plays Produced under the Direction of Mrs. POTTER and Mr. BELLEW. PRICES AS USUAL. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform, half-price to

Back Seats anly. Doors open at 8.30. Commanding at 9 o'clock. Box Office at Messrs, KELLY & WAISH, Ld. T. V. TWINNING, Manager. Hongkong, 26th April; 1894.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITAD,

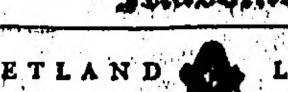
to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. at their Office, No. 2, Zetland Street. THURSDAY next, the 3rd May, 1894,

AT NOON. THE WRECK OF THE STEAM-TUG "PILOT FISH." as she now lies outside Tamtoo Island.

TERMS:--Wreck at Buyer's risk on fall of the Hammer: cash, payment in Bank Notes, or Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7. HUGHES & HOUGH. Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1804.

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REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASOMS HALL Zetland Street, on TUESDAY, the 1et HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND May, at 8,30 for 0 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Honghong, nith April, 1894.

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ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

AMONG THE MANY ADVANT-. AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:--.

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Agenti. STANDARD LIFE OFFICE. Hongkong, 8th August, 1803.

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices. S. J. DAVID & Co., Hongkong, 5th April, 1894.

THE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE :- TOKIO, JAPAN. CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,200,000 CAPITAL PAID-UP\$ 600,000 GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE\$ 400,000 RESERVE FUND, 30th June, 1893..... \$ 548,551 SPECIAL RESERVE, Do.\$ 134,097

TOTAL RESERVE 682,648 THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept RISKS ALCURRENT RATES. For the MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

K. FUKUI, Manager. Hongkong, 18th April, 1894.

NOTICK. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES ON GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. HEAD OFFICE,

No. 2. QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 24th November, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000) EQUAL TO RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World. HEAD OFFICE, B & 9, PRAYA WEST.

Untimations.

Flonekong, 17th December, 1886.

NOTICE.

DURING my temporary absence from the Colony, Mr. WILLIAM PENDER MACLEAN, who holds my Power of Attorney, will conduct the business of The Honghour Telegraph.

R. FRASER-SMITH, Editor & Proprietor.

Hengkoug, agth April, 1894. WANTED.

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Intimations.

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Hongkong, 10th April, 1804

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Hongkong, 5th April, 1894.

THE

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R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, 17th November, 1892.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

E and TWO INTERPRETERSHIPS in PERAK will be held by the Board of Examiners in the Council Chamber on THURSDAY, the and May, at 10 A.M. Intending Candidates should apply to the

> By Command. G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 16th April: 1804.

Honorary Secretary to the Board.

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE

CHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the OR CALL of FIFTY CRUTS per Share as set forth in the PROSPECTUS, falls Due on the joth instant, and same should be PAID to the Undersigned at No. 9, Praya Central, to whom the Scrip should be sent for endorsement. W. HUTTON POTTS,

Secretary. N.B .- Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per Annum will be charged on all Calls outstanding after the 15th May, 1894.

Dated Hongkong, 25th April, 1894. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. A N INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon CONTRIBUTIONS for the year 1893 has been Declared. WARRANTS: may be had on application at the OFFICE of the SociETy on and after the 3rd

By Order of the Board, Secretary. Hongkong, 21st April, 1894. NOTICE.

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MELCHERS & Co., Agents. " North German Lloyds S. S. Co. Hongkong, 24th April, 1894.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

NOTICE.

N and after this date all RATES PASSAGE by this COMPANY'S LINES to PACIFIC COAST, OVERLAND CANADIAN and UNITED STATES POINTS, and to EUROPE, will be advanced, and hereafter quoted in STERLING at the Current Rate of fichange at time of Purchase. The following NEW RATES are now in

effect from Hongkong :-To Pacific Coast Points, Vancouver,__ VICTORIA, &commencementalismen £37

...D. E. BROWN, General Agent. Hongkong, 23rd April 1894

PACIFIC MAIL "STEAMSHIP COMPANY OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL

BTRAMSHIP COMPANY. TO NOTICE.

FOROM and after this date all PASSAGE RATES by Steamess of the above COM-PARTES, to Points in the UNITED STATES CANADA, or EUROPE, will be charged in GOLD. First Cabin Rates to the Undermenlloned Points are :-

To LONDON and LIVERPOOL To NEW YORK, BOSTOM, CHICAGO 246 To SAN FRANCISCO and VANCOUVER ... 537 1. S. VAN BUREN,

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"PORT PHILLIP! Captain Grey, R.N.R., will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 3rd May. For Fright or Passage, apply is DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Shipping.

STEAMERS. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship

Captain Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th April, 1894.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship "RADNORSHIRE," Captain F. Davies, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 30th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 23rd April, 1804.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND

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THE 3/3 I. I. I. American Bark "EDWARD MAY," McClure, Master, will load here for the above

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SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 17th April, 1804.

Consignees. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "OAKLEY," FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their

risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th proximo, will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th proximo, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chaled, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th proximo, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 27th April, 1894. "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

S. S. "BENLEDI," FROM ANTWERP, LONDON & STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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undelivered after the 3rd proximo, will be subject All claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th proximo, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on the 4th proxime, at 2.30 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 26th April, 1804. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NOTICE.

ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship "CITY OF PEKING." The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

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supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony, or from our authorised Agents at the

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Per doren Case. B · Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule. \$10.80 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ... C C Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Scal Capsule

D Very Superior Old Pale Dry. choice Old Wine, White Seal Capiule..... 14.40 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry. very finest quality, Black

Scal Capsu'e (Old Bottled) B. C. and C C are excellent dinner wines or for invalids and delicate stomachs. D and E are after dinner wines of a very superior wintage. All are true Xeres wines.

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Chablis, white wine...... 15.00 -Meursault, superior white wine 18.00 -Volnay, very superior red wine 21.00 22.20

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Thorne's Blend, White Cap-Bule..... \$10.50 B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark ... 10,80 Waison's Abelour-Glenlivet.

Red Capsule with Name and Trade Mark Watson's HKD Blend of the Finest Scotch Mait Whiskies, Violet Capsule,..... E Watson's Very Old Liqueur

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Old, Green Capsu'e All these are very fine and old. Chas been stocked in Hongkong in wood for 20 years there being little sale for Irlah Whisky in the Colony. AMERICAN-

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AND A HALF PER MONTH.

BIRTHS:

At Ningro, on the 20th April, the wife of At Shanghal, on 22nd April, the wife RUTHVEN MONTGOMERIE MACFABLANE, of a daughter.

DEATH.

On the 21rd lost, at No; 54. Broadway, B St. Estephe, Red Capsule..... 6.96 7.56 Shanghai, ELIZA LOUISA, aged 49 years, the 0.60 beloved wife of T. J. Ho'Vell, Imperial Maritime D La Rose, Red Capsule...... 12.96 13.93 Customs, second daughter of James Shepherd

HOMOKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1894.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ANNEXATION OF ZANZIBAR RECOMMENDED. LONDON, 26th April.

The Times strongly urges the annexation of Zanzibar with the object of uniting it to Uganda.

DISESTABLISHMENT IN WALES The Right Honourable Herbert P. Asquith, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, has introduced a Bill into the Commons, to take effect from 1st January, 1896, to disestabilsh and disendow the Established Church in Wales, and also to exclude Weish Bishops from the House of Lords. The Bill provides annulties for actual incumbents.

FRANCE.

PARIS, April 19th. The Budget proposals embody several changes, including the sholition of the tax on doors and windows, for which is substituted a fax on rentages and house servants.

The Socialist Deputy Toussaint is to ! presecuted for his action in the Triguec steelworkers' strike.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

LIFE's parallel-Stoking a rebellious stomach.

vessel was towed over from the dock. A MASS of interesting news, including the second instalment of " Hongkong Darles," is held over

till Monday owing to extreme pressure on our TWDENING's 'Desmond' walls is the tune-to which people now trip -- even to church; and still the Telegraph's advertising rates remain

unchanged. Self sacrifice has always been our

Belangor

the roth last.

THE silk ar steamship Mogul arrived at New York on the 25th lost,

THE P. & O. S. N. Co's steamer Shanghai, from China, arrived at London on the afternoon of the

The Beltish gunboat Mercury was to have left Woosung for Japan on Monday last; the Caroline on the same day.

members of the opposite sex.

THE Mission steam launch Day Spring will THE Drains Flend is still tinkering away in about 12.30 p.m.

FROM Shanghai we learn that the China Merchants' steamer Hasan is being fitted with the electric light, and touched up generally for the comfest and convenience of the Viceroy Li, during his forthcoming tour of inspection.

THE Sydney Bulletin says that the Australee man who, for the second time, lately levanted with a certain plump pantomime actress, is now in gaol for wife-describin. He was a good and the first act of In Town, the fire in the fireplace spouse, Josephine, was doing her best to run into righteous man, and a pillar of his church. The on the scene blazed up and seriously threatened debt, Napoleon had passing liaisons with various morning he left home to clope with his own true the stage. Mrs. Brian and Mr. Mallett pluckily women who visited him secretly. These were For dozen Case. a few minutes to spire before my train is due, my dear. Let's have prayers,"

A TELEGRAM received at Tokyo from Seoul on the 17th inst., reports a general feeling of disgust at the atroclous conduct of the Korean authorities in having the remains of Kim ok Kinn quartered. Many suspicious characters were seen sround on the night the head was exposed on the gibbet, and it was, therefore, thought necessary to have a guard stationed round it in order that the head might not be stolen. The Japan Herald states that the populace is in a disturbed state.

Some rather cynical sayings are ascribed to Princess Faradia, a Swedish lady, who is the wife of the Turkish Ambassador at the Hague. Among them are the following: "It is a great blessing for a woman to have a husband who is a gourmet, for then she knows the way to his heart." "Egotists are the only people who never have to bewall the death of their best loved friends." "If God created the husband and wife-who created the mother-in-law ?": "It is less humiliating to bore the world than to amuse it too much."

A MAORILAND clergyman lately discovered that the rival sin-shifter was addicted to calling on a lady in the small hours of the morning, and crawling through a window-presumably for purposes which wouldn't bear inspection. He announced the painful details, bring urged thereto by a strong sense of duty, and an admiring Social Gimlet brigade straightway got up a subscription for his benefit. They collected £50 in all, but the presentation never came off. The leading gimleter, who acted as freesurer, announced, with tears, that the subscription had unfortunately got mixed up with his private everdraft, but he hoped to be able to settle up in a lew years. Then the gimlet function broke up in disorder.

NEWS of the wreck of the Japanese deamer Nippon Maru, off Aylen Bay, some fourteen miles south of the N.E. Promontory, was received in Shanghai on Monday last. The vessel ran ashore at 6 p.m. on the 19th inst. during a dense fog. and was first sighted by the China Merchants' Hasan on the 21st. Our Shanghai morning contemporary states that as soon as the accident happened, the captain had the boats lowered and provisioned and sails were taken ashore to be fixed up as tents and all hands slept on shore, is the seas swept over the vessel at times. The Nibbon Mars is so iron screw steamer built at Flensburg in 1882, and is a vessel of 1,004 tons gross and 622 net register. and of horse-power. Assistance was being sent from Shanghal.

A WRITER in Science Siftings calculates that a min who has lived to the age of eighty years, and has thus seen 20,220 days, has lived through 701,280 hours, or 49,076,800 minutes, and at the rate of 4,200 beast pulsations per hour, has felt the enormous number of 2,945,376,000 million attokes of the heart. The force that keeps the heart thus incessantly in action is derived from the cerebellum, or lower brain, and the force itself may be likened to an electric current. The stomach is the generator, while the digestion, or the conversion of food, releases motive power in precise progration to the extent that motive power was absorbed from the sun in producing the food. The heart is simply a pump, and in the course of an ordinary lifetime exerts many thousands of tons of force in moving the blood and impelling respiration.

Under date 21st inst. the Ningpo correspondent of the N. C. Daily News writes as follows :-The latest in this section as regards the coming rebellion is a lot of placerds being distributed among the people, purporting to have come from "The true Northern Emperor," who is commissioned of heaven to re-establish the "Ming dynasty." The placerds begin by saying that the true "Northern Emperor" is coming to reestablish the " Ming dynasty " and that nothing under heaven can hinder or thwart him. It then calls upon the merchants, tradesmen, and farmers to continue in their occupations, and warms them under renalty of death, not to help the present Emperor who is a usurper, but to continue in their present occupations, and when the new dynasty is established they shall be most graciously remembered by his Imperial Majesty,

The Archbishop of Lyons is suspended for Hilleateur, the Bulletis tells the following story, the best hated man in this city, publicly condemning the employers' liability which has also the virtue of roping in a famous he had been walking up and down the altar district all the time-put his hand before his mouth and whispered, "Go round with the plate." Thereur on Dalty and the other collector went round and took up an enormous subscriplarave the Worm. Presently the congregation WE are indebted to Mr. Welter Makepeace, of deputted and the offertory was totted up. The Singapore, the publisher, for a copy of a very prescher, mopping his wet brow, enquired interesting pamphlet entitled People of a Native | casually, " How much !" They told him the State, written by Mr. J. H. M. Robson, for a smount-a record achievement, "Ah I" said number of years magistrate in the state of the holy father, starting to dry his neck, "I BAYL BOTT MOUNT The Worm to fall?

on the 21st inst.

"As cold water to a thirsty soul, so is good news from a far country," is the inscription which an Australian newspaper credits the Hongkong A Post Office with possessing. If we had the Inditing of an inscription for the adornment of that semi-meribund institution it would have more point in it, if less pootry !

An outbreak of fire occurred at 9,15 this morfor the Behring Sca, and the Plover for Chinkiang | ning in a rice pounders' shop in Wanchai. Jour pldgin was responsible for the accident, but the damage did not amount to much. The shop A BOSTON marriage is described to be a sympa- was insured; as all shops, having any regard thetic union of two women who have not been for the Flery Fiend, are comehow. If we had able to make good and agreeable matches with a shop that we didn't want to catch fire we wouldn't insure it. Not much !

call alongside vessels holsting code pennant C, Queen's Road East in a manner as exasperating between 9 and ro. 30 a.m., on Sunday; to convey to the general public as it is conducive to an men ashore to the moclock service, returning epidemic of typhold, trap accidents and broken heads. This eternal tearing up of public thoroughteres has for years been an intolerable nulsance for which the P. W. D. is more responsible than actual necessity.

> A NORTHERN contemporary chronicles an whose Creole style of beauty, style and position instance of admirable presence of mind dis- easily impressed a young provincial of 26. While played at the Lyceum Theatre, Shanghal, on in Egypt, Bonsparte solaced himself with "a Saturday evening last, by Mrs. Belan and Mr. young damsel from Carcassonne, being disgusted Mallett, of the London Lytic company. While with the native women who were paraded before the dialogue was proceeding between them in him. Returning to France, where his legitimate pulled the burning material out of the fireplace | called the En Cas, who were dispensed with and trampled out the flames, and their siter the accession to favor of Countess Walewska, promptitude was quickly recognised by the who, with Mme. Eleonore Revel. helped to audience with a hearty round of applause.

This cheeful little lament from the Sydney Bulletin will no doubt particularly interest our his human nature, and fell under the influence esteemed fellow-citizen, the Rev. G Sharp :- "In of the feminine spell like many ordinary mortals England and Wales 580,000 people are buried in this world of weakness and sin. every year, smong them they make some 26,250 tons of pulcefaction annually. Nobody knows THE Almanach de Gotha for 1894 has buried in for certain how long it takes for the disease-germs | Its numerous finely printed pages some interestto perish-it isn't even a matter of reasonable ing facts as to the ages of European sovereigns. certainty that the microbes of the first British | The oldest of all is the Pope, who is in his eighty, cholera epidemic are not alive to this day in the fourth year. Next comes the Grand Duke of tomb of somebody's deceased grandfather. Every little Luxemburg, who is 76. The King of Danclod that goes to make up Britain and continental | mark and the Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar are Europe and Asia is a corpse, or part of one, and 75. Queen Victoria and the Grand Duke of everybody walks on the dead, and the green Mecklenburg-Strelltz, 74. There are six other landscape is made of old, stale, unpleasant sovereigns who are older than 70, eleven who deceased, and the scenery is constructed out of are between 60 and 70, and five who are between death and general worminess. All this is a 50 and 60. Eleven are between 40 and 50, two solemn thing to think of, and when the world between 30 and 40, and two more between 20 begins to think of it in real carnest the burial and 30. The youngest three sovereigns are King horror will be abolished by Act of Parliament, Alexander of Servia, 17; Queen Wilhelmina of and cremation will become compulsory."

THE authoress of "The Heavenly Twins" on leign-565 years. Emperor Fraiz Josef has the decadence of man :- "But where are our reigned 45 years; the Grand Duke of Baden, 41 men? Where Is the chivalry, the truth and years; the Grand Dukes of O'denburg, of Saxeaffection, the earnest purpose, the plain living. Welmar-Eisemach and of Saxe-Altenburg, 40 high thinking and noble self-sacrifice that make vears each. Fourteen of the sovereigns of a man? We look in vain smong the bulk of Europe have reigned fewer than ten years. our writers even for appreciation of these quali- During 1893 three new sovereigns ascended the ties. With the younger men all that is usually throne. They are Prince George of Schaumburgcultivated is that flippant smartness which is Lippe, Prince Frederick of Waldeck and Duke synonymous with cheapness. There is such a Alfred of Coburg, better known as the Duke of want of wit among them, too, such a lack of Edinburgh. variety, such monotony of threadbare subjects worked to death! Their "comic" papers subsist upon repetitions of those three venerable jests, the mother-in-law, somebody drunk and an edifying deception successfully practised by any unfaithful husband or wife. But there is one thing the younger men are specially good at, and that is giving their opinion; this they do to each other's admiration until they verily believe it to be worth something. Yet they do not even know where we are in the history of

R. C. ARCHBISHOP John Joseph' Lynch, of Toronto, Canada :- I have been often pained and astonished at the frequent appeals of editors and proprietors of newspapers to their subscribers, urging them to pay their just debts. Catholics, at least, cannot be unaware of their obligations is this matter, and that absolution to a penitent heartily sorry for his sins does not free him from the obligation of paying his debts. The atonement for oblivion of justice in this world will certainly be exacted in the next. editors and proprietors of newspapers, on their part, give their time, the product of a high education and experience, together with their money for stationery, printing, and wages, to employees, and they expect and should have, in common justice, a return often by no means adequate to their outlay. A man who will not pay for a paper he subscribed for, read, and whose contents he enjoyed, is a retainer of another man's goods. Quite tight, Hell is the place where defaulting subscribers go; also people who borrow newspapers instead of buying

WHAT a wonderful personage, writes the local plainly that the pedigrees of most of the "old correspondent of the Shanghal morning paper, lamilies" of Britain are absolutely begus-that is the Nanking Viceroy. Too many are the their ancestral trees are a pitiable example of reports one hears of him to record the half. One the abject struggles of plain modern beer to deprived of his official rank. Another, that Li family, in particular, gets a bad showing Hung-chang has brought accusations against up. It starts from one William Duff, who him to the Throne; and now comes Chang Chih- | was made a peer 140 years ago, and called tung, Gavernor-General of Wuchang, with a himself Viscount MacDuff in order to establish bill of charges against the old man to present | tome kind of connection between himself to his Majesty. Then comes the report and the legendary MacDoffs. Next the of the Kolac Hui destroying his property by family borrowed the crest of the old-time tearing down and burning his bouses, and | MacDuffs, and looted a sixteenth century tombcompletely applicating his entire clan in Hunan. | sione from Cullen Church—the tombstone of A deputation of officials who have been waiting one Innes-which was solemnly erected in the these many days for an appointment and have Duff mausoleum with a bogus inscription and always been put off with a "be patient," called | date setting forth that it was the monument of on the Vicercy to enquire what the ontlook was, one Duff of their line, who was a red-legged being again quieted with a "be patient," and cateran in 1404, and died under tremendous patience having cessed to be a virtue, they gave circumstances, which reflected great credit on the old Vicerry an abusing and took their the family. And, finally, the Duff family, by departure. So indignant was the Viceroy that means of stolen tombstones and bogus records, he shut himself up in his room and has become which were boiled to make them look ancient, sullen and refuses to see any one. And like the fixed up an entire pedigree which joins them Or Victor Daley, the well-known Australian possum he still holds the fort. He is doubtless on to the original M.cDuffe, and carries them

Roman Catholic charly-sermon preacher, who Ir a Colonial exchange is to be believed the ago, went one better, for it fixed up an was once brought along to the church where Prohibition movement is assuming awful pro- entirely new pedigree from the beginning, and little boy Victor served as an acolyte, and gam- portions in New Zealand. It is no longer a put up something like 24 tombstones in various bolied innocently around the altar : The taber- campaign against drink, but against the indivi- degrees of dilapidation and apparent old age, nacis required much repairs, and the imous dual drinker. In the smaller towns the move- asking the passer-by to tread lightly on the "awakener" was desired to give the congrega- ment has an eye on everybody, and if it considers bones of imaginary Coultharts, who died as far tion a "regular gor drousing." He did. Daley that any person's nose is too viridly illustrated, back as 600 years ago. The Dearden family put can't speak of the sermon even new without a or his breath is not up to sample, some reverend up a "f mily chapel" to Rochdale Church, and shudder. The preacher selected the "Worm person calls upon him. Then, having leaned having bought old funereal brasses from sun-Tantalus were completed yesterday, when the that Never Dieth" for his text. He went right his black umbrella against the door-post, he dry marine stores, fixed up the tombs of its into the anatomy of the horrid, crawling thing, extracts with his black-gloved hand a note-book alleged ancestors inlong rows, with efficies, slabs, dweltupon its writhings and twistings and sternal from the tail-pocket of his black coat, and asks and assorted monuments. Another family of long bitings at the innards of those who wouldn't bim what he drinks. While hels waiting for an descent is alleged to be entirely bogue; the real give freely towards the new roof. Men grouned, answer he fishes out a pencil from his black family died out, and one Smith or Jenkins borboys turned pale, women shricked and tore their | walstcost and stands ready to enter the name of rowed its name and bought the old mansion, and bonnets. When the audience was on the verge | the drink in his book. If the information is not | took over the goodwill of the pedigree. As for of a collapse from spiritual funk, the preacher— satisfactory he most likely calls on the woman the names they seem to be mostly bogus. The nent door and sake il the suspected person is medern De Grey Isan abject Robinson; Nevilla ever seen intoxicated, il anyone has noticed his Percy is Smithson ("Duke Smithson of Northbreath, if he looks wild on Salurday nights, if he umberland," said the Anti-Jacobio); De comes home late and has a difficulty with his | Winton is a miserable Wilkins; De Monttion, whilst the genius fied off his final particu- he is ever seen bringing home drink, and various Capell Brooke is only Supple ; De Heris is other questions. He notes downall the answers, | Smith ; and so on. The British peerage and demands whether the interrogated female's | generally, despite bogus tombetones and faked own husband is strictly; sober, and whether she church records, is about at genuine as the has any suspicions concerning snybody else in Italian count whose real name is Weffler, and the neighbourhood. Then he goes round to the used to be cook in a hotel, and the sid back and looks over the lenge to see if there are I revered, much-grovelled-to nobility is dust and may bottles lying about. ashes and plain Jones

THE French gunboat Lion was at Kinking on The British gunboat Pigmy arrived at Shanghai The Agents (Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co.) inform us that the Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Mogul left Victoria, B.C., for this port, via Japan, on the 25th inst.

COURT-MARTIAL was opered on board the Victor Emanuelibis morning an Able Seaman the new fligship Centurion being charged with refusing the perform "puolshment duty." The case was adjourned this afternoon at the application of the defendant, who wishes to obtain legal assistance.

A PRIVATE letter received by the N. C. Daily News from Tientsio, confirms the news of the Viceroy's intended departure on or about the 6th prox. for Tslao San, where he will see over the military camp and review the troops, the Taku Forts, Port Arthur, where he will inspect the fleet, and Shanbaikuan, whence he returns by rail to Tientsin. He is to be accompanied by General Ting An of Kisin, as joint inspector, and by Mr. Detring, Commissioner of Customs

FROM "Napoleon et Les Femmes" it appears that Bonaparte's first amour in Paris was of an ignoble kind, and there is no need to dwell upon it. Then came the Vicomtesso de Beauharnais, entertain the Emperor. In splie of his greatness, his genius and the feverishness of his phenomenal existence, Napoleon fully showed

the Netherlands, 13. and King Alfonso XIII of Spain, 74. Queen Victoria has had the longest

THE Courrier d'Haiphong of April 21st says that the French Government contracted with the Société des Charbonnages du Tonkin for 10,000 tons of briquettes from the Kowloon factory for the Isdo-China naval station. The first. lot delivered was rejected as not up contract, but was ultimately accepted at a reduced price. The official report was that this patent fuel gave excellent results as a steam-raiser, and made very little clinker and ash, but lacked cohesion, which was attributed to defective manufacture (though it is now well known that Hongay coal never "cokes"). However, a Hongay engineer, M. Brard, came to Hongkong and after numerous experiments managed to satisfy the authorities on this last point; but now the steam-raising power was below contract and the clinker and ash in excess, to that the fuel was again rejected. The manager of the Company protested that it was impossible to do any better, and that if the report was reliable, then Tonkin dust coal would never be any good-"c'était la condamnation absolue, definitive du charbon de Hongay, du charbon maigre du Tonkin." At his request a special commission was appointed to make fresh trials, and has now reported under date April 10th :- "One kilo. of fuel evaporates 7 k, 57 of water, sgainst 6.50 stipulated, and 5 60 previously recorded; clinker etc., 8.11 per cent, against 27 stipulated and 36.30 previously "recorded The Commission unanimously recommends that the fuel be accepted." The Courrier adds "All's well that ends well,"

QUARTERLY Review publishes an article on

Burke's "Peerage and Baronetage," showing

report current is that he has recently been graft itself on to ancient blood. The Fife right back to the Deluge. The Coulthart keyhole, if he swears or makes a disturbance, if morency is Morres; De Freville is Green; De

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of shareholders in this Company was held to-day. Mr. H. Hoppius presided, and there were also A. G. Wood, G. H. Dodwell, D. R. Sassoon (directors), V. H. Descon (solicitor), N. J. Ede (secretary). Douglas lones, E. W. Maitland. W. H. Saunders, J. B. Coughtrie, H. E. R. and G. M. Bain.

The Secretary read the notice of meeting:man, Mr. Holliday, has, I regret to say, had business, and I have been asked by my colleagues to take the chair. This meeting, as you all know, has been convened for the purpose of laying before you the proposal made by the Board to alter our present Articles of Association. A circular embodying all the material changes was issued on the 27th January last, so as to give time to shareholders in distant countries to consider them and express their views thereon. With the exception of some observations that have been made to us by one or two shareholders regarding the clauses relating to investments and the limitation of zisks, to which I will refer in the course of my remarks, I am glad to say that the proposed changes seem to have met with general approval. The Articles named is the circular have for the sake of convenience been placed in the order of their numbers, but the principal and main reason for proposing any alteration is given in the very first to the division of our profits. I will therefore -allude to that first, and refer to the others afterwards. "The Board has for some time past felt that while on the one hand the hard-andfast rule of distributing 23rd of the profits to contributing shareholders has tended to attract a certain amourt of business, it has on the other hand produced keen competition and areduction of rates by offices who have either given less bonus or no bonus at all to contributors and have sought to make up for it by offering lower nett rates. Our fixed rule bas also produced some disappointment among shareholders in regard to the dividend which it has been possible to give them under that method of division. After corsidering the pres and cons, the Board came to the conclusion that it would be advantageous to the Society to divide the profits according to the circumstances of each year subject, of course, to the approval of the shareholders in meeting, and they had also the further reason before them that the Reserve Fund is approaching the limit fixed by the Articles after which no provision is made for adding anything to it. Although it may not be necessary to add any considerable 'sum' each year' after the Reserve reaches one million, the Board thinks that additions thereto from time to time will probably commend Amiselves to the shareholders. Asteadily increasing reserve is favourably viewed, and rightly so, by all interested in the true welfare of the company and by those who in the course of barking and other business take our policies of Insurance, and it is calculated to inspire confidence and strengthen our credit which is very important element in helping to extend and improve our business. The alteration as to the division of profits cannot come into force until 1895, because there who have contributed business this year are clearly entitled to the share of the profits prescribed by our present Articles, and mention this as we have been asked why we did not make it commence at once. I will now refer to the other Articles which the Board thinks It would be well to take the opportunity of modifying. No .17:-On the subject of calls. This is almost a technical alteration. The Board does not anticipate having to make a call, nor, happily, are there any signs at present that a call would ever be necessary, but should it be so we are advised that the crocess of doing so would bemuch facilitated under the new Articles, would be scarcely possible for a Board to make a call or to collect it without previous assent of the shareholders, and even If it were so made the shareholders have it in their power to insist on a meeting to discuss it. I may, however, say that if the shareholders have doubts about it the Board is quite ready to let it stand as at present. No. 125 .- It has been pointed out that under the wording of the present Article the Board itself, as a Bozid, ought to do all these things which it is manifestly impossible for them to de unless they sat perpetually, and which really the Secretary does and must do delly. It has been therefore smended so that the Secretary may legally be able to do thesethings but under the control of the Board. Then, again, it says Moneys and Securities are to be kept in the office of the Society. Wekeep such things in the Bank mostly, and that; according to our present Atticles, is strictly speaking, out of order. No. 130 .- Limits. There is no other Company that we know of which has its limits of risks prescribed by Articles of Association, and we think it ought to be left to the Board. It is not likely that the Board would be disposed to keep too large a line on any one vessel, but there are some risks, such as short voyage tisks on Treasure by good mail steamers and the same on first-class steamers on Rivers, where it is desirable sometimes to exceed 150,000 dollars. I may, for instance, mention that when exchange was high we used to keep £20,000 on Treasure by Malls for the best voyages, and which have now, of necessity, been reduced to £15,000, although we are now stronger and have a much larger portion of our funds in sterling, No. 134 :- Accounts. This Article, as it now stands, is technically inaccurate and reads as if we had only to show accounts from 1st Jenusry to 30th June.—The new Article amends the error and enables us to show accounts for each half-year and year. No. 138 is the important one first referred to, and | Colonial exchanges :which I have already dealt with at length. No. 140 and 141 :- You will observe that by our present Articles the investment of the Capital discretion "would not be held to authorise any of discretion as trustees. The new wording is jocker escaped with his life, but his horse was Thursday last presented by the committee of the know !" recommended by our Solicitor as being preferable to a more limited form. Two of our shareholders have referred particularly to this article and thought that the new clause is too wide. One of them said that under this section the Directors might invest in Chillan Bonds. It is not at all Masco. likely that they would do so, but the Board thinks that the Society should be able to invest in the African explorer, died from injuries received the right of the press to comment freely upon the that into the estate brain of Mrs. Proddy's ss the late Chinese Imperial Loan or United States securites. Since the circular was trying to secure the plans of the new defence issued, we have added the words "or Shanghai," so as to permit of investments in morigages and debentures at Shanghal.

to delete it altogether : you will notice from the circular that the best company law authorities advise against it. I have now relerred to all the Articles specified in the circular, and I will touch upon those other minor alterations to which it refers! Advantage has been taken of present Messrs. J. J Keswick, H. L. Dalrymple, the fact that the Articles must be reprinted to excise some Atticles and after others where verbiage had to be cut down or cierical alterations made, but no change of any kind has been made which touches the principles of our Hunter, A. McConachie, R. Lyall, J. H. Cox. atticles or constitution. Thus, for instance, our C. H. Thompson, Moston Jones, R. C. Wilcox. old Articles 26, 27 and 28 are excised altogether A. Ross, G. T. Veltch, F. Henderson, A. Coxon, because the two former only refer to details in working regarding which there is no need to have any articles, viz. the losses of the Society, shall be The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, our chair- payable one month after proof of loss and they shall be payable at the places where the policies suddenly to leave for Shanghai on urgent say they shall be payable. It is absurd to have anarticle to say that, and as regards No. 28 the funds of the Society are as a matter of law liable for all losses, and they would be paid out of such funds as was most expedient. Again, Article 30. as to Capital:-This alteration is wholly clerical. and merely states the amount and division of capital as it actually now stands. Article 46 is now inapplicable, being provided for in Article 30. So all the other alterations are merely clerical except, as said before, those shown in the circular, and therethe real and important alterations are fully set cut, and special attention called to them. The resolution before the meeting. and which was duly acvertised; has been framed so as to embody all these changes and pass them all by our resolution in order to save time. Before putting it to the meeting, I shall be glad to answer any questions that the labour.

shareholders may wish to ask. There being no questions, the Chairman paragraph of the circular, namely that relating | proposed the adoption of the new Articles as

> . Mr. McConachie seconded the motion, which was carried nam. con.

The Chairman :- The resolution being duly carried, we shall have a confirmatory meeting at noon on Wednesday, the 16th May. That i all the business, and I thank you for you

CHARITY.

Our esteemed morning contemporary ha within the past week been publishing, in its correspondence column, some foolish remarks on the subject of "charity." Without wasting trouble, time and space on's refutation of these wild vagaries seriation, it is worth while to take this opportunity of pointing out, for the good of the community is general, that there is a regular and effective system for dealing with destitution in Hongkong, and there need never be any dissatisfaction at all if only people would adopt the proper course. The destitutes are all either honest or dishonest-that is to say, either they can help themselves if they will, or they cannot. For those who deliberately endeavour to trade on the softerfeatures of human nature, gaol is the best place, and we need not further discuss them. But the others, who are in genuine want. always have an opportunity to obtain help if they try through the proper channels—and most people in this Colony know enough to direct them thither; the only pity is that there are some fools who don't. Able-bodied men, willing to work, can at any time get their names entered on the list at the Sallors' Home, and take their turn for the next vacancy in the crowof any vessel; besides which, there are constant opportunities for such men to obtainemployment in the Colonyhumble, it may be-but good enough for any selfrespecting man who has a spirit above begging. On the other hand, if a man is unable to work, or if women or children are left without means of livelthood, there are several organisations which never refuse to assist. The Ladies' Benevolent Society is known to most residents as an uncetentations institution which, in the kindest and least objectionable manner possible, enquires into every application, and always manages to find means for adequate treatment. The Chinese have several such societies, and anybody who says a deserving case has falled to meet with due attention is points. either an impostor or a foot. The present Daily Press correspondent, C. J. H. H., obtained publicity last year for an appeal in a case which had been taken up by the Benevolent Society. and found to be distinctly unsatisfictory : It is Geddes, of the Pastoral and Finance Association. just such things as this that sicken people. The mysterious object now unear thed and written-up by C. J. H. H. professes to be a sallor : has he tried at the Sallon! Home and the Harbour Office? Or, if past work, has he fried the Society? To give money to unscrueulous dead-beats is a positive sin against society; to give to unknown persons without proof of good faith is little better. There is no fear of justice not being done by the Benevolent Society, and absolutely no reason why intended charity should not be wholly administered through this or some such body i in fact, the evils arising out of indiscriminate alms-giving are so great that it should be prohibited by law; just as the companion nulsance of begging is. How many hideous Chinese hardans are at large in this Colory, dragging with them children who have been deliberately rendered as wretched and repulsive as possible, simply to live on fools? It is a fact that there is in Canton a regular trade in crippled children for beggiog purposes. Nothing of this serolting business would be possible if individual charity were totally abolished in favour of organised systems; not would any genuine case ever need to be dragged into publicity at all.

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN

Catterthus, Capt. Neil Shannon, from Sydney | stealing a number of pictures. She pleaded in and ports, arrived in harbour last night. For defence that she had purchased the pictures on too! Devillahold ! Don't concern us, though !"

LONDON, March 26th. A serious accident of an unusual character presumed wife, Annie Frost, who, as Mrs. a stearing complexion, a velvety eye, and half occurred during the progress of a sice meeting Gordon Baillie, had canled on a large series of for length and blackness like onto a horse's tall, of the Society is limited to certain forms at Amersham, Buckinghamshire, In the Hurdie frauds at home and abroad by means of fictitions but who, despite French habiliments and an of security, but all the other funds may be Race two of the horses cannoned to violently cheques, were convicted of cheating tradesmen invested by the Board in such manner as it that they fell, and, with their riders, were thrown of goods and money. Frost was sentenced to thinks fit "in its absolute discretion." Our in a heap. The heries and jockeys rolled over 18 menths imprisonment with hard labor; and Solicitor advises that the words "in their absolute and over several times, and when aid arrived it | the woman received a sentence of ave years' was found that one of the riders named Alleny investment of any description, but only such as | wasterribly crushed. He was alive when picked a Court would consider justified by the exercise up, but lived only a few minutes. The other

Buones Ayres states that the New Australia | and The address was signed by the secretary fires, and parried about as much rascallty to the

Commander Lovett Cameron, the well-known Syme, in returning thanks, strongly maintained bit premises a doddering, old, speciacled Chow,

It is stated that the French agents have been worksat Gibraltar,

Sir Julian Pauncelote is arranging with the Carolina has not yet been suppressed, and the Well up the old Singapore Strait the mysterious Names by

which is clearly undesirable, and it is thought best | and a present of a thousand pounds.

word " shall " arbitration is made compalsory, by King Lobengula with an offer to surrender with Germany and Austria are believed to herald much to indigue the most reckiese desperade | Ope \$1. Juniform

resolution was passed that Ulster would never indefinite suspension of military preparations. submit to Home Rule.

also re-adjust the duty on Australian mutton, so sentenced to three years' hard labour. as to, give Australian meat an advantage over American meat in the Canadian markets.

rages in different parts of Europe, communica- Conference to be held in Ottawa in June, tions have been going on for some time past between the Great Powers with a view of arranging some means of concerted action for the suppression of anarchy.

It has now been arranged that a conference of sives will be made a State monopoly in each country.

March 20th. a congress. The principal question discussed The women are supposed to out-number the was the advisableness of ordering a general strike throughout the country, in order to induce | about 5 to 4. As the potato is their common the Government to grant certain reforms to the democracy. It was decided to order the strike their time in its cultivation, this and regarto commence at once.

AUCKLAND, March 20th. At the Trades' Union Conference in Auckland, resolutions were passed in favour of legislation to restrict the introduction of Asiatic and pauper

LONDON, March 30th,

discovered in Belgium, which had for its object the wrecking of the train by which Her Majesty Queen Victoria travelled to Florence.

Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New South Wales, has received no notification from Sir George Dibbe requesting him to ask the Imperial authorities to inquire into the condition of the women and children at the New Australia settlement in Paraguay, with the view to their return to Australia.

Sir Saul Samuel says he has doubts as to whether the settlement has entirely collapsed. Jabez Spencer Ballour, the abscording promoter of the Liberator Building Society, is writing shly repugnant. But the dirtier they become a narrative of the society's transactions from his prison in the Argentine Republic. He declares that the profits should be sufficient to pay the

Mr. David Christle Murray, the well-known novelist, is being sued by his wife, who formerly lived in Melbourne, for descrition. The hearing females alike have dressed their hair up into of the case has been postponed,

The sealers of British Columbia are indignant thing like the Indian castes were signified by at the manner in which scaling operations are carried on in the Behring Sen, and protest that the modus vivendi allows of British vessels being seized by Americans.

Mr. Bond, of the Midland Railway Company of West Australia, has replied to Sir Thomas M'Ilwraith's refusal to support the construction of a land-grant reilway from Cloncurry to Normanton, Queensland.

Mr. Bond personally doubts whether the line would be a success, unless, the Government guaranteed a minimum dividend during the time occupied in the construction of the line, The final match for the Football Association's

Mr. John Barns, in the course of a speech in the House of Commons, urged that it was necessary to transfer the control of the Imperial Institute from the present Governors to the management of the South Kensington Museum. It would then, he maintained, be devoted to the

purposes of London, instead of being, as now, used for the benefit of "diplomatic Johnnies and colonial bounders." C. Memmott, the Australian billiard player, has beaten Cumn ings, an English player, by 72 in a game of 1,000 up. He gave Cummings 400

Montenegro has appealed to Turkey to put a stop to the systematic raids which are being made by Albanians,

A French syndicate has requested Mr. J. H. Sydney, to quote the conditions upon which his firm will undertake to supply 100,000 tons of preserved meat annually.

Details have been received from New York of a serious collision between the populace and the police at Darlington, South Carolina. The police had commenced a said upon a

number of dwellings with the view of ascertaining whether they were sly dram shops. This action was resented by a large body of the citiz ne, who attacked the police and drove them from the town into a swamp. In the fight which took place so of the police were killed.

During the conflict between the populace and the police at Darlington, South Caroling, the Governor called out the soldiery, but they refused to obey orders when told to fire upon

The Times says that the deficit of the United States for the year will amount to £11,000,000. From New York it is reported that 12 people have been buried by an avalanche in Canyon Creek, Washington State.

April and. frozen meat syndicate in Germany, and has also the flying schooner. Proddy had been over to Annie Frost, formerly Mrs. Gorden Baillie,

sgo, and who, in 1888, was sentenced to five | yellow at the top of a headless paim on Panjan years' penal servitude for fraud, was charged Point, " Schooner hauled her wind the instant | Montgomery," in Sydney Bulletin. The Eastern and Australian Co.'s steamship to-day, at the Marylebone Police Court, with that bit o' busting went aloft |" the subjoined telegrams we are indebted to our credit. She was committed for trial, an and Proddy, the pot-bellied, lit snother Manila. application for ball being refused.

[On October 241b, 1888, R. P. B. Frost and his Proddy, Esquire, presided a lady who rejoiced in

MELBOURNE, April 2rd. Mr. David Syme, proprietor of the Age, was on knows-where | Couldn't quite stand them, you & Co., Hongkong. -Advi. Age National Defence Fund with an illuminated | But, all unknown to Proddy, his brevet-wife address and a cheque for £1,202, representing public acts of public men.

enforce the probibitive liquor laws in South person.

Colonel Saunderson addressed an enthusiastic. a' rapproathment, between the three Emp'res, meeting of 20,000 Uister men at Lurgan, and a | which willresult in a general disarmament or an | the famous Alabama, during her visit

SYDNEY, April 5th, The new Canadian tariff now before the Fred Augustus Thomas, who pleaded guilty to | though report p-rhaps exaggerated in as Dominion Par lament, is calculated to benefit embezz'ing large sums of money belonging to that he ought long ago to have adorned trade with Great Britain and the colonies, and Lorimer, Rome and Co , of Sydney, was yesterday

BRISBANE, April cth. The Hon. A. J. Thynne has been appointed to In consequence of the repeated dynamite out- represent the colony in the Canadian-Anatralian | appeared "a gentle beast enough, and

THE LOOCHOO ISLANDS.

These islands are altusted in a south-west delegates representing the various European direction from the Province of Satsuma at a Powers will assemble at an early date with a distance of about five hundred miles; the group view of arriving at an agreement whereby the consists of several large islands and many outmanufacture of dynamite and other high explo- lying small islands. The largest of all is popularly known as Hondo, its circumference being stand-as he told the lemon-tinted Mrs. Proddy about two hundred miles. The natives are roughly numbered at 410,000, and the number The Socialists in Austria have been holding of Japanese residing there is only three hund ed. men, the axes being present in the ratio of food, men and women spend much of making being their chief pursuits. The average annual production of augus estimated at to ooo ooo casks, each containing of which so far had English displaced her hereabout 100 lbr. Weaving, lacquer-working, and distilling a liquor called "awamorl" must also be named as industries. The materials -and in three minutes Mrs. Proddy was on her for making lacquer water, however, come from Japan ; the warm temperature of the The French newspapers report that a plot was islands has much to do with producing a geant-"Dauger!-the crocodile! The true word, lized communities, the women do the hardest work, and they are aren on the streets carrying large basketsfull of fish on their heads, and bare I looted. Itoman, which is the only fishery in the islands, produces all the fish needed; the men lengue in fishing and the women hawk the carches about the streets or dispose of them at fish-markets, Carrying the baskets on their heads, their faces and necks are roon painted red with fish blood. They carelessly whoe it away from their eyes and noses with their sleeves, and they quickly become indescribably dirty and intolerwith fish blood, the prouder and happier they look. The women are said to be usually stronger and larger than the men; when at losing shareholders and investors a dividend of work they are not at all likely to be passed by

The natives are very dull and stubborn ; but they are very polite externally. The males and found queues which they ornament with hair pine made of metal. Formerly distinctions someplas, nobles wearing only gold ones, the next caste silver ones, and so on with other inferior metals. But since the islands were put under the Japanese government the caste system has been abolished, although the custom lingers on smoog them. In Shurl, the capital, and in Naha, the second city, morality is not kept on a high level. One very curious custom condemns a newly married man to leave his bride for some days and to spend his time in a house of ill-repute

There is no written language, and so there is no authentic records of their history. I is supposed that Shunten-we or king Shunten, challenge cup was won yesterday by Notts by 4 son of Minamoto Tametome, a famous archer of Japan, who flourished in the reign of the Emperor Tobs about 1,000 years ago, was bar ished to these islands, married a native | Proddy, ... woman their subdued the natives, and was made their King. The natives, it is thought, emigrated from Japan; but their language is quite different from Japanese, Some authorities think they came from China, and numbers of them are sild to have gone back secretly to China.

They have really no religion beyond a kind of ancestral worship. They have a very strange custom of worshiping the deads' bones everythree | Point, years, and they spend a great deal of money in keeping their tombs clean and magnificent all. the times it is said that they spend most of their facomes on the tombs. Buddhism and Christlanity have been introduced, the former about thirty years 1go, and the latter later. Both have sained a few converts. The natives are peculiarly averse to education, and though there ere a great many Government schools, very few have ever attended them. Special inducements, even knoney awards, have been offered to get them to: school, but still they will not enter, Some 50,000 yes are expended annually at present in edicational experiments in the Islands. -Hyogo News.

A MAN OF PREY AND A WOMAN OF ACTION!

however, the stranger put his helm down, got in and sunrise found her well away into the Gulf to the contrary be given before Noon TOhis square centes and went away, close-hauled, of Siam, west-by-north along the coast,

Mr. J. H. Geddes has succeeded in forming a Newman, let his cheroot go out as he gaped after

who was well known in Australia some years | too | " and Sam pointed to a streaming wisp of

" Private signal, ch ? And quarantine colours, Over the domestic establishment of Simon English education, was a Chinawoman pure and

"A wonderful woman, sir !" would Proddy say, " Worth any half-a-dozen white women I ever knew ! And the best of it is that 'her sisters and her cousins and her aunts' are God-

The Pall Mall Gasette correspondent at the subscriptions which had been received to the who dabbled with dubious from in mysterious pessessed a faiher-a sophisticated old sinner. settlement in Paraguay has proved a complete on behalf of contributors in 108 cities and towns square inch as any in Singapore. And little and the proprietors of 35 newspapers. Mr. thought Proddy, when he one day ordered off respected paredt there had that very moment The disturbance caused by the attempt to valuable security of his, Proddy's, substantial

United States Government a new modus vivendi peuple are virtually in a state of revolt. The schooner had let-go her aschor. In here, No. 160.—The deleti: n of this Article I need not with regard to the Behring Sca seal fisheries. State Militia have occupied the various between the back of the false and the mainland, Foothows. specially speak about, the reason is fully given in the circular. No. 164.—Under this Arifele certain questions shall be submitted to arbitration; if the word "shall" were altered to " may "there would be no need of the Arifele at all, as parties concerned in a difference of opinion may go to arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution submitted by the British Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution submitted by the British Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution submitted in the solution of the Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution submitted in the solution of the Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution of the Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution of the Bechunaiand arbitration if they choose, and by leaving in the solution strategetic positions, but the rioters are trying to strategetic positions, but the rioters are trying to the solutions, but the rioters are trying to the solutions arrange an international conference to discuss a win them over; and the situation is still menaction.

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Conted and pet-hatted little man, of Blender Haphous manner build and mild, reflective eye—there wasn't Manie manner.

the Archipelago had ever seen. A desert Straite in '65-" Crocky " Dixon had since plap through many a law of many a natio arm, i. was certain that he hadn't segul blessing appellation for nothing. But n " Crocodi e," with a black Trichinopoly laws and a botile of Medeira at Its excellent conscience"-1 fact which, to who knew the reptile best, boded very somebody.

"At here, master, now come. Very thing to want to settle at now quick," Away amongst the jungle, towards the back the island, Proddy had a gambier-plantation, the oversees whereof was Whang-Lo, and Whang-Lo's English, an above presented, Proddy understood well enough But what he didn't under--was, what the devil it could be that required his presence in such a hurry! If it was another coolie nabbed by a tiger he'd wake the authorities up to some purpose! The brutes were breeding on theisland like rabbits, and the reward wasn't quarter big enought

About an hour after Proddy, growling thus, had departed into the dukness, Mrs. Proddy, idly torning over Whang-Lo's screed, discovered on the back thereof three tiny Chinese characters, ditary language-she understood but one. That one, however, was enough !- it signified "dar ger" way to the nearest police-tannah.

"Do not come!" translated the old Javani serspecially bright colour. As a rule with uncivi. | this, on back!" he added promptly. "Bad men make he write the other! - this when nobody look. he put so Missa Proddy no come!" And then, with Mrs. Proddy, the acute old man sent off a veon to the central office. Here she had a short. interview with the Superintendent, who, in turn, had, 20 minutes later, a short interview with the Lieutenant commanding H.M. gunbost Tickley.

"Ohl that ruffian Dixon !" Lieutenant Dawson said. "Why, we're getting steam up now to go round and see what he's about at the back of the island ! What d'ye make of this Proddy business ?"

"Case of ransom, I take it ! This Dixon's brought off something of the kind before up Penang way. They've nabbed old Proddy at his plantation by this time I expect, and, if they can, they'll run him over to some den on the Borness coast, and keep him, till Government or the merchants come down with something handsome. The so-called Mrs. Proddy's father is about the biggest scoundrel in Singspore, and I fancy he's in this job with Crocky. If so, the negotiations would be made through him-but, meantime, it's your part to burst up this pleasing little anangement 1",

Old Proddy-for all his stomach-defended himself like a paladin, and had to be knocked on the head with a boat-stretches so that he knew no more until, peeping through a port at break of day, he saw a misty shore slide 'slowly' past him, as, before a gentle air, the schooner stood eastward under every sitch she could

That shore, Proddy, Esquire; is Obin Island; from which little suckemstance, you'll jedge that we're a-standin' to the eastward out of this here hell-trap of a strait of yours." An' as to whar wa're a takin' you, Proddy, Esquire-that you'll find out before you're a powerful deal older.!" "You'll have the Tickler after you before

you're much older !" snorted the astounded. "Hardly thet, Proddy, Esquire ! You see there won't be no muss made about you before this evenial; and, as we'll catch the monsoon strong again in the offin', your footy little smoke-pot of a Tickler will jest her the hull univarial ocean

to overhaul for us by to-mor-Great Jefferson !" and downwent Crocky's jaw, as, glancing through the port, a stender trail of smoke led down his eye to a little white hall just rounding Franklin In three seconds Crocky was on deck-rapid. resolute and cool, "Chased sooner than we

expected, lade | No get-away, now, with Proddy, Esquire |-but, without him, I guess we'll fix it Get the dingy over the side-smart, now ! We'll send his friends on a little excursion to rescoo bim from a wat-tery gre-ave ! " Within three minutes the dingy was adrift

with a bit of canvas set for ard, and Proddy-lest he should dowse it-lashed to a ringbolt in the stern-sheets. Down-by-the-stern the light little craft walked smartly away to the castward, what time the resourceful Crocky, bringing the wind upon his port-quarter, stood away due north, between Obin and Tukang,

Abpard the gunboat there was no hesitation; reluctantly a course was shaped for the little waif, scarce visible now against the sunrise, as faster and faster the freshening wind drove her out to sea; so that, by the time the drenched and stiffened Proddy had been hoisted aboard Towards Singapore, out of the sunset-glare, a the Tickler, the namesake of the Ala ama's long, slashing schooner camespinking in before captain was being warped into a winding offthe south-west monsoon at a pace which pro- shoot of the Johore River, wherein, with topcured for her, from prahu, forche and samping, masts housed, she lay snug till dark. Then, an uncommonly wide berth. Off Pulo Panjan, with the ebb, she dropped down again to sea,

"Mrs." Proddy had her reward-in two "See that, Sam ?" and Proddy, of Proddy and instalments. The first, when before high Heaven the grateful Proddy confirmed her wifely status; arranged for the rotalling "of the most in the Eintang, and Sam was skipper of his little society of which her enimable parent was an ornam:ni, her cook-a member, also, of the "Ay, sir, I see that gan' I see the reason of it, hoey"-mixed something with her morning coffee that speedily made of Proddy, the inconsolable widower, he is to this day.-" Alex.

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F. G. Fice, First Assistant Hongkong Observatory, 28th April, 1894.

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To=day's Advertisemen's.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, I.IMITED,

TOTICE is bereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING this SOCIETY will be held at the OFFICES of the Society, No. 4. Prays, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th May, 1894, at NOON, when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society he'd on the 28th April, 1864, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolu-

" That the New Articles of Association already approved by this Meeting, and for the " purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof, be and the same "are hereby approved, and that such "Articles be and they are hereby adopted "as the Articles of Association of the "Society to the exclusion of all the exist-"ing Articles or Regulations thereof."

By Order of the Board

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Hongkong, 28th April, 1804. HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS. ORPS ORDERS FOR THE WEEK

ENDING 5TH MAY, 1894. 86.—COMMANDING OFFICER'S PARADE. Therewill be a Parade (with Poples) of the BATTERY and COMPANY on MONDAY, at 5.30 P.M., for Drill under the Commandant,

who trusts all Members will arrange to be No. 87.—THE ANNUAL INSPECTION of the CORPS will take place on the Garrison Parade Ground on WEDNESDAY Evening next, Members to Muster at Headquarters at

Silf P.M. sharp. Members are reminded that unless prevented by sickness, when a Medical Certificate is required, or by urgent and unavoidable business, in which case leave must be obtained through the Battery or Company Commander. It is absolutely necessary for all to attend this Parade. in order to qualify as efficient Volunteers, and allow of the Capitation Grant being passed to

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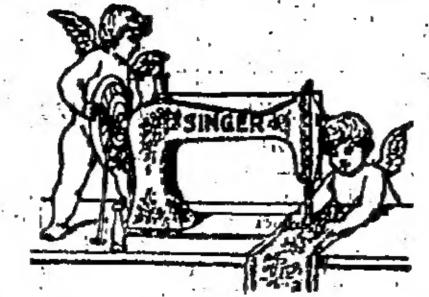
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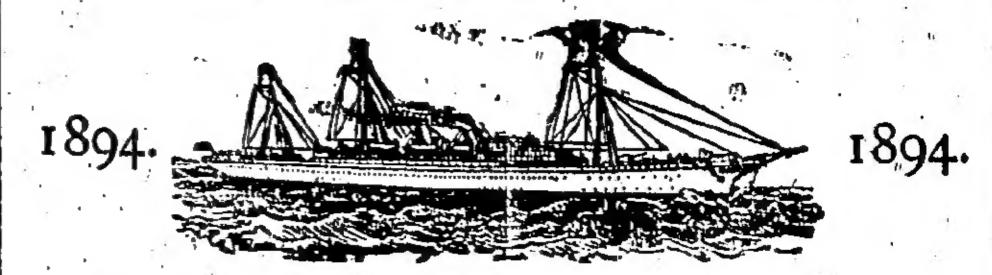
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